Statements of Witnesses - HAROLD FLEMING, June 29, 1964 (19 H 651-5)

- Fleming is operations Manager of Armored Motor Service, Inc., at Fort Worth. In this statement he told the FBI that he was called between 9:30 and 9:40 a.m. Sunday, November 24, 1963, by Asst. Chief of Dallas Police Batchelor asking if the company could loan the city an armored truck for transporting Lee Harvey Oswald to the courthouse. With some difficulty in an emergency situation and on a Sunday morning, Fleming arranged with 2 Dallas employees to bring 2 armored vehicles to the police station. He had first told Batchelor to measure the entrance "to determine if the truck would fit into that entrance". If Batchelor ever did this, there is no reflection of it in this statement.

So much for the preparations for Oswald's transfer. They were improvised, even in their abandoned form, on Sunday morning.

And so much for Curry's statement that he had left everything up to Fritz.

The truck did not fit; it effectively blocked that exit, and it was taken away with the reserve smaller one that was standing by after Oswald was shot.